

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants: KUBOTA et al

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For: Diagnostic Ultrasound System And Method For Displaying Information On Distortion Of Biological Tissue In Ultrasound Image

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**AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application, in response to the Office Action dated May 23, 2007. The amendments are listed below and set forth on the following pages.

Amendments to the Specification;

Amendments to the Claims;

Amendments to the Drawings describing changes to drawing shown in the Appendix;

Remarks are included following the amendments; and

An Appendix including amended drawing figures is attached following the Remarks.